36.	No. 2 Faridabad	15	15	—	—	—
37.	Muradnagar	16	16	—	—	—
38.	NOIDA	34	34+2LL**	—	—	**Long Leave
39.	Palwal	06	05	01	—	—
40.	Rajokari	14	14	—	—	—
41.	VKV Ghaziabad	16	16	—	—	—
42.	AFS Dadri	06	06	—	—	—
43.	Nahara	06	06	—	—	—
44.	Babugarh	09	07	02	—	—
45.	NTPC Dadri	19	19	—	—	—
46.	NSG Manesar	24	24	—	—	—
47.	Rangpuri	12	12	—	—	—
48.	Mohd. Pur	06	06	—	—	—
49.	Panipat	22	22	—	—	—
50.	Bhiwani	06	06	—	—	—
51.	Hissar Cantt.	19	19	—	—	—
52.	Rohtak	06	06	—	—	—
53.	No. 1 Sirsa	12	11	01	—	*Transferred but not Joined
54.	No. 2 Sirsa	12	11	01	—	—
55.	Sec. 3 Rohini	06	06	—	—	—
56.	Sec. 8 Rohini	06	06	—	—	—
57.	Paschim Vihar	06	06	—	—	—

Spreading literacy among women of backward communities

728. SHRI S.M. KRISHNA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Govt. are aware that a Rs. 250 crore Scheme to spread literacy among women of backward communities has proved to be non starter despite the budgetary allocation made by the Planning Commission during the last two financial years; if so, the reasons therefor;

(b) what were the salient features/objectives of the scheme and which Ministry was asked to operate/implement the scheme; and

(c) what steps Prime Minister's office have taken to put an end to the alleged inter-Ministry wrangle to ensure that such useful scheme sees the light of the day?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) to (c) A scheme known as "Kasturba Gandhi Swatantrata Vidyalaya Scheme" for improving the literacy among women of backward classes is being formulated by the Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment. An allocation of Rs. 250 crore has been made in respect of this Scheme in P.E. 1998-99 of that Ministry.

Concept/Definition of couple in the context of Transfer Guidelines

729. SHRI GOVINDRAM MIRI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether concept/definition of 'couple' in the context of transfer guidelines for teachers of Kendriya Vidyalayas has undergone changes as per decision of the last meeting of Board of Governors of KVS; and

(b) if so, the details, need and justification thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. MURLI MANOHAR JOSHI): (a) There is no concept/

definition of 'couple' in the context of Transfer Guidelines for teachers. However, the transfer guidelines provide for transfer on request to join spouse, the applicability of which has undergone a change.

(b) Para 6B (iii) of the Transfer Guidelines approved by the Board of Governors in its 63rd meeting held on 21.7.98 is appended as a statement (*See* below). The need for change arose as the minimum period of stay of one year which was a requirement under the old guidelines has been removed. This will help the teachers whose spouse particularly in the defence sector, are frequently transferred to meet the needs of national security. Further, it has been stipulated that the transfer of teacher is to be considered when the spouse is transferred after the teacher has joined and been working in Kendriya Vidayalaya from where transfer is sought. This will restrict such transfers to genuine cases.

Statement

Transfer Guidelines as approved by the Board of Governors in its 63rd meeting held on 21.7.98

(Extract of para 6)

6. Subject to availability of vacancy, transfers will be effected by observing the following priorities:—

(a) Transfer on administrative grounds

(b) *Transfer on request:*

(i) Transfer for reasons of serious illness which, on the satisfaction of the Commissioner, K.V.S. according to procedure prescribed by him, necessitates such a transfer, for treatment away from the place of present posting.

(ii) Transfer from hard stations and NER (PGTs and above) on completion of tenure of three years.

(iii) Spouse cases provided the spouse is transferred after the teacher has joined and been working as such in the Kendriya Vidyalaya from where transfer is sought.

(iv) Transfer of unmarried ladies/divorced ladies/widows to a place of their convenience after completion of stay of one year at the station of posting.

(v) Transfer of physically handicapped provided the handicap has developed during the course of KVS service.

(vi) General cases.

(vii) Mutual transfers provided there is no other claimant of higher priority for both the stations.

"केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन के कर्मचारियों के विरुद्ध केन्द्रीय जांच ब्यूरो द्वारा जांच"

730. **श्री राघवजी:**
श्री गोविन्दराम मिरी:

क्या मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) केन्द्रीय विद्यालय के ऐसे शिक्षकों और केन्द्रीय विद्यालय संगठन के ऐसे अधिकारियों की संख्या तथा नाम क्या-क्या हैं जिनके विरुद्ध केन्द्रीय जांच ब्यूरो द्वारा विभिन्न आरोपों की जांच की जा रही है;

(ख) प्रत्येक मामले में आरोपों का ब्यौरा क्या है;

(ग) क्या इन आरोपी कर्मचारियों में से कुछ को निलंबित किया गया है; और

(घ) यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है?

मानव संसाधन विकास मंत्री (डा॰ मुरली मनोहर जोशी): (क) से (घ) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सभा पटल पर रख दी जाएगी।

State HRD Ministers' Conference

731. SHRI S.M. KRISHNA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the State Human Resource Development Ministers' Conference recently held in Delhi was quite stormy and ended with lot of protests and walkouts; if so, what were the main points of disagreement;

(b) what was the outcome of the Conference and the salient amendments proposed or suggested; and

(c) whether his attention has been drawn to the newsitem captioned "Vandana made must in U.P. Schools" appearing in the Hindustan Times dated October 30, 1998, if so, the reaction thereto?